



Human Relations Commission
Wednesday, June 8, 2016, 6:15 P.M.
Mayor and Council Conference Room, 1st Floor
255 W. Alameda St., Tucson, Arizona



Legal Action Report

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Guzman at 6:15 p.m. Those present and absent were:

Present:

William Hibbs	Mayor
Manuel Guzman, Chairperson	Ward 1
Don Goebel	Ward 2
Rev. Raven Gaston	Ward 4
Delores Grayam	Ward 5
John Dalton, Non-voting Advisory Member	
Kedar Medar, Non-voting Advisory Member	

Absent:

Daisy Jenkins	Ward 3
Rania Kanawati	Ward 6
Joe Yee, Non-voting Advisory Member	

Staff Members Present:

Monica Sierra, Secretary	City Clerk's Office
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Guests Present:

Ted Prezelski	Council, Ward 2
Alex Devoid	Arizona Daily Star
Abby Okrent	Tucson Stop G4S

2. Approval of Summary Minutes: May 11, 2016

It was moved by Commissioner Gaston, duly seconded, and carried by a voice vote of 5 to 0 (Commissioners Jenkins and Kanawati absent/excused), to approve the May 11, 2016 Summary Minutes.

3. Call to the Audience

Announced Guests

Alex Devoid, Arizona Daily Star announced that he would be writing a story on the Municipal ID

4. G4S Presentation

Presentation was given by Abby Okrent, Tucson Stop G4S and Ted Prezelski, Ward 2

Discussion was held.

It was moved by Commission Hibbs, duly seconded, and carried by a voice vote of 5 to 0 (Commissioners Jenkins and Kanawati absent/excused), to create a subcommittee on Human Rights Standard in Procurement Policies

5. Syria and Refugees

Report was given by Chairperson Guzman.

Discussion held. No action taken.

6. Todo Municipal ID Card

Presentation was given by Chairperson Guzman.

Discussion was held. No action taken.

7. Chair's Summary of Current Events

Mahammad Ali Celebration of Life to be held at The Islamic Center on Saturday, June 11, 2016 at 5:30 p.m.

Abby Jenkins, GLBT speaking on Transgender Bathroom Laws held at Revolutionary Grounds Coffee Shop on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at 6:30 p.m.

Cesar Chavez Coalition Celebration to honor Dr. Maria Figueroa on her retirement with TUSD and the Mexican American Student Services Department at La Cocina on Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

8. Commissioners' Summary of Current Events

Helen Chavez, wife of Cesar Chavez died at 88. Services at Keene, California on Sunday June 12, 2016 and Monday, June 13, 2016.

9. Subcommittee Reports and Discussion

a. Rosa Parks & Ray Davies Scholarship Funds

Report was given by Commissioner Grayam. Discussion was held. Commissioner Grayam requests information on the recognition of the Awardees for the Community Foundation Awardees and those that have been selected to be announced at the Mayor and Council Meeting.

b. Strategic Planning

Report was given by Chairperson Guzman. Discussion was held. No action taken.

c. Welcoming Immigrant City

None

d. Diversity Report

Report was given by Commissioner Grayam. Discussion was held. Commissioner Grayam announced a meeting will be held on June 27, 2016 with the Mayor, City Manager, Chief of Tucson Fire and Tucson Police and the Diversity Sub-Committee to discuss the Diversity Report that was given.

e. SROs and Immigration Issues on TUSD Campuses

Report was given by Chairperson Guzman.

No discussion held. No action taken.

10. Report from Tucson Commission on Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender (GLBT) Issues

Report was given. No action taken.

11. Vacancies & Advisory Positions

None

12. Future Agenda Items - Information Only

- Sub-committee on Human Rights Standard in Procurement Policies

13. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:20 p.m.